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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Attn: Mail Stop Amendment
Masanori Masuda	:	Patent Art Unit: 3748
Serial No. 10/571,791	:	Examiner: Theresa Trieu
Filed: March 15, 2006	:	Confirmation No. 2798
For: ROTARY FLUID MACHINE	:	
HAVING A PAIR OF ROTATION	:	
MECHANISMS AND A	:	
PARTITION PLATE DISPOSED	:	
BETWEEN THE ROTATION	:	
MECHANISMS (As Amended)	:	

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

<u>CLAIMS</u>				<u>SMALL ENTITY</u>		<u>OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY</u>	
REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL 17	- 20	=	0	x 26 =	\$	x 52 =	\$
INDEP 2	- 3	=	0	x 110 =	\$	x 220 =	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> 1ST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM				+ 195 =	\$	+ 390 =	\$
				TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	\$

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the August 20, 2008 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 4 of this paper. Claims 1-17 are now pending, with claims 1 and 11 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.